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In re Application of: **BRANHAM ET AL.**

Docket No. 11302-1180 (44040-256046)

Serial No. **09/815,243**

Filed: **March 22, 2001**

For: **WATER-DISPERSIBLE, CATIONIC POLYMERS, A METHOD OF  
MAKING SAME AND ITEMS USING SAME**

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS - FILING DATE GRANTED**

Attention: Box Missing Parts  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
Sir:

Transmitted herewith are papers in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Formalities Letter - Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.
- ☒ The additional fee is calculated as shown below.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE			\$355		\$710	710
TOTAL CLAIMS	25 - 20 =	5	x9 =		x18 =	90
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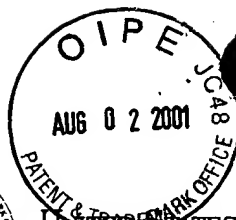
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,010 is attached for the filing fee.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110 is attached for the extension of time.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on July 30, 2001.

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$170.
  - \$90 for 5 total claims over 20.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1010.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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